



PTO/SB/08a/b (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

| | | | | | |
|--|---|----|---|--------------------------|------------------|
| Substitute for form 1449A/B/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary) | | | | Complete if Known | |
| | | | | Application Number | 10/820585 |
| | | | | Filing Date | April 8, 2004 |
| | | | | First Named Inventor | Juan Inga |
| | | | | Art Unit | N/A |
| | | | | Examiner Name | Not Yet Assigned |
| Sheet | 1 | of | 1 | Attorney Docket Number | 41290-00030USPT |

| U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Examiner Initials* | Cite No. ¹ | Document Number | | Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY | Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document | Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear |
| | | Number-Kind Code ² (if known) | | | | |
| JF | AA | US-4,007,129 | | 02-08-1977 | Naber et al. | |
| | AB | US-4,011,066 | | 03-08-1977 | Bratzler et al. | |
| | AC | US-4,020,144 | | 04-26-1977 | Bosniack | |
| | AD | US-4,088,735 | | 05-09-1978 | Bratzler et al. | |
| | AE | US-4,100,257 | | 07-11-1978 | Sartori et al. | |
| | AF | US-4,112,051 | | 09-05-1978 | Sartori et al. | |
| | AG | US-4,002,721 | | 01-11-1977 | Guffy et al. | |
| | AH | US-4,155,985 | | 05-22-1979 | Doerges | |
| | AI | US-4,155,988 | | 05-22-1979 | Karwat et al. | |
| | AJ | US-4,189,307 | | 02-19-1980 | Marion | |
| | AK | US-4,192,854 | | 03-11-1980 | Harvey et al. | |
| | AL | US-4,240,922 | | 12-23-1980 | Sartori et al. | |
| | AM | US-4,240,923 | | 12-23-1980 | Sartori et al. | |
| | AN | US-4,271,133 | | 06-02-1981 | Tellis | |
| | AO | US-4,320,100 | | 03-16-1982 | Engelbrecht et al. | |
| | AP | US-4,521,387 | | 06-04-1985 | Broecker et al. | |
| | AQ | US-4,540,552 | | 09-10-1985 | Ream et al. | |
| | AR | US-4,572,826 | | 02-25-1986 | Moore | |
| | AS | US-4,624,837 | | 11-25-1986 | Baker | |
| | AT | US-4,624,838 | | 11-25-1986 | Pan et al. | |
| | AU | US-4,654,148 | | 03-31-1987 | Baker | |
| | AV | US-4,704,137 | | 11-03-1987 | Richter | |
| | AW | US-4,705,673 | | 11-10-1987 | Capobianco et al. | |
| | AX | US-4,711,648 | | 12-08-1987 | Konkol et al. | |
| | AY | US-4,769,224 | | 09-06-1988 | van Grinsven et al. | |
| | AZ | US-4,778,484 | | 10-18-1988 | Najjar et al. | |
| | AA1 | US-4,810,475 | | 03-07-1989 | Chu et al. | |
| | AB1 | US-5,068,254 | | 11-26-1991 | Posthuma et al. | |
| | AC1 | US-5,112,586 | | 05-12-1992 | Baker | |
| | AD1 | US-5,403,366 | | 04-04-1995 | Leininger et al. | |
| | AE1 | US-5,415,673 | | 05-16-1995 | Hilton et al. | |
| | AF1* | US-5,720,785 | | 02-24-1998 | Baker | |
| | AG1 | US-5,720,901 | | 02-24-1998 | De Jong et al. | |
| | AH1 | US-5,762,885 | | 06-09-1998 | Debbage et al. | |
| | AI1 | US-5,852,061 | | 12-22-1998 | Alexion et al. | |
| | AJ1 | US-5,948,378 | | 09-07-1999 | Koveal et al. | |
| | AK1 | US-5,968,465 | | 10-19-1999 | Koveal et al. | |
| | AL1 | US-6,063,349 | | 05-16-2000 | Koveal, Jr. et al. | |
| | AM1 | US-6,107,353 | | 08-22-2000 | Koveal et al. | |
| | AN1 | US-6,162,373 | | 12-19-2000 | Koveal, Jr. | |
| | AO1 | US-6,277,345 | | 08-21-2001 | Stankowiak et al. | |
| | AP1 | US-6,284,807 | | 09-04-2001 | Levinness et al. | |
| | AQ1 | US-6,458,857 | | 10-01-2002 | Wittenbrink et al. | |
| | AR1 | US-6,635,171 | | 10-21-2003 | Rosenbaum et al. | |
| JF | AS1 | US-4,693,873 | | 09-15-1987 | Baker | |

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Examiner Signature | <i>J. P. [Signature]</i> | Date Considered | 8/29/05 |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------|

HOUSTON 313396v1 41290-00030USPT